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Kansas Corporation Commission
/s/ Lynn M. Retz

221 Circle Drive
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June 2, 2020

Kansas Corporation Commission
266 N. Main
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Wichita, KS 67202

RE: Request a Hearing
Penalty Assessment
20-CONS-3279-CPEN

To Whom It May Concern:

Please be advised that Great Plains Petroleum, Inc. hereby requests a hearing regarding the above captioned violation.

Great Plains Petroleum does not contest the penalty. Payment of the assessed penalty has already been mailed to the KCC.

Great Plains Petroleum does request a hearing as regards an extension of time to return the well to service and bring the well into compliance.

Specifically, an offset operator had previously expressed an interest in assuming operations of the subject well for the purpose of converting it to a saltwater disposal well. Unfortunately, this project was pushed to the back burner when oil prices collapsed.

I was in contact with the offset operator today. They have stated that they still wish to evaluate the economics of the disposal project and will now expedite the matter.

I do not believe this well has a casing leak because the most recent fluid level shot in the well was consistent with a shut-in Council Grove gas well. However, this clearly is not affirmation without an MIT or gas production.

Please contact me if you require any more information as regards this matter.

Sincerely,

Rod A. Phares
President

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